Technical leaflet

# VPIS V2



Voltage indicator



"Open" seal



Standard surge protection



VPIS-VO surge protection



Cover joint (not available as spare part)

# **Voltage presence indicating system for MV cubicles**

# **Description**

- The VPIS V2 is a self-powered voltage presence indicating system, in compliance with the IEC 62271-206 standard
- Connectors on the front panel allow the use of a phase comparator (see corresponding section in the document)
- Extended lifetime of LEDs on the front panel
- Compatibility with existing MV network devices for replacement. The VPIS V2 consists of two parts:
- ☐ the surge protection part (always connected)

for installation on an existing wiring harness.

- □ the voltage presence indicating part (replaceable for maintenance)
- Retrofit: no change necessary for the replacement of a VPIS V1 (production from 01-2000 → 02-2009) with a VPIS V2. However, a special "open" seal is necessary (supplied with each VPIS V2)

#### **Thresholds**

■ In compliance with the IEC 62271-206 standard, the indicator lamp outputs of the VPIS are lit or flashing when the network voltage is > 45% of the rated voltage.

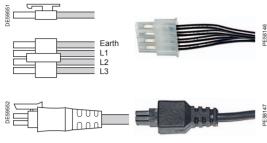
	IEC 62271-206: percentage of network voltage U	Equivalent percentage of rated voltage V	Status of VPIS indicator lamps	
	Phase-to-phase	Phase-to-earth		
Voltage value	10%	17%	Extinguished	
at VPIS input	45%	78%	Lit or flashing	

The flashing frequency increases depending on the level of the network voltage. At rated voltage, the indicator lamps seem to be lit steadily.

#### **Customer benefits**

- Voltage presence indicating system in compliance with the IEC 62271-206 standard (and also with the old IEC 61958 standard)
- 9 references available to adapt to all applications
- Voltage output option for source changeover switch application









- The VPIS V2 includes a 4-pin connector for connection to the cubicle coupling elements: 1 pin for connection to earth and 1 pin for connection of the coupling elements on each phase
- $\hfill\Box$  The wires used have a cross-section of 1 mm², with an outside diameter ranging between 2.5 mm and 2.9 mm
- ☐ The connector contacts are Minifit 5556 type
- ☐ The connector housing is of MOLEX 39-01-4040 or 39-01-4041 type.
- The optional voltage output cable (supplied with the VPIS-VO, for the Flair 22D, 23D, 23DM and VD23) is 1 m long (MOLEX 79516 type cable): the output signals of this cable are of positive half-wave type for each phase (L1, L2 and L3). Two extensions of length 1 m and 2 m are available if needed for the optional voltage output: □ EMS58422:

extension cable for connection VPIS-VO - VD23/Flair 2xD, length 1 m  $\,\Box\,$  EMS58423:

extension cable for connection VPIS-VO - VD23/Flair 2xD, length 2 m.

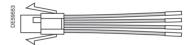


#### Installation recommendation

It is important to respect certain rules regarding the installation of the wiring harness. It must be fixed so that in case of condensation, water flowing along the wires is guided to the ground and not to the wiring harness input of the VPIS.

# Power supply source changeover application

- The VPIS V2 is designed to be connected directly to the new VD23 voltage relay. The VPIS V2 connectors are therefore adapted to those of the VD23.
- The VPIS V2 can also be connected to the old-generation voltage relays of VD3H type, using a specific adapter (ref.: RCL62454).





#### **Characteristics**

<b>Electromagne</b>	tic compatibility	Standards	Criteria	Comments	
Radiated interference	Emitted radiation	IEC 62271-1 § 6.9.1.2		30 MHz-1 GHz	
Immunity test	Immunity to electrostatic discharge	IEC 61000-4-2 IEC 62271-1 § 6.9.2.1	В	±6 kV contact discharge ±8 kV discharge in air	
	Radiated, radio-frequency, electromagnetic field immunity	IEC 6100-4-3 IEC 62271-1 § 6.9.2.1	А	10 V/m 80% AM at 1 kHz 80 MHz to 3 GHz	
	Immunity to electrical fast transients	IEC 6100-4-4 IEC 62271-1 § 6.9.2.3	В	±2 kV: mains power supply	
	Slow damped oscillatory wave immunity	IEC 6100-4-18 IEC 62271-1 § 6.9.2.4	В	±1kV in differential mode ±2.5 kV in common mode	
	Radiated magnetic field immunity	IEC 6100-4-8 IEC 62271-1 § 6.9.2.1	В	Permanent magnetic field at 100 A/m, 1000 A/m during 1 s	
	Immunity to voltage dips and short interruptions	IEC 6100-4-11 IEC 62271-1 § 6.9.3.3	B B B	100% (reduction) during 5 and 50 periods 60% (reduction) during 50 periods 30% (reduction) during 1 period	
<b>Climatic tests</b>		Standards		Comments	
n storage	Temperature variation (cyclic with humidity, dry heat and cold)			Low temperature: -40°C (240 min.) Plateau temperature: +20°C (35 min.) High temperature: +85°C (180 min.) Variation: 2°C/min. Cycle time: 870 min. Complete test duration: 1000 hours	
n operation	Temperature variation	IEC 60068-2-14		Low temperature: -25°C High temperature: +85°C Variation: 0.5°C/min. Plateau: 3 hours Number of cycles: 2	
Mechanical tests		Standards		Comments	
Impacts	De-energized	IEC 61958-1 IEC 60068-2-75		2 Joules 3 impacts in the weakest places	

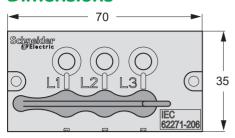
# **VPIS V2 references selection table**

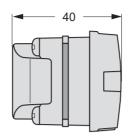
The range of use for each VPIS-V2 depends on Service voltage, network frequency and the switchgear capacitor. Here are typical range of use for 50Hz/60Hz. In case of use only for 50Hz or only 60Hz, the range of use could be expand, please consult the switchgear offer manager.

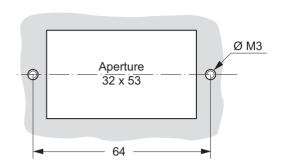
			3 kV	6 kV	10 kV	15 kV	20 kV	30 kV	40 kV
SM6-24	First	Without VO	VPI62403	VPI62404	VPI62407	VPI62407	VPI62408		
	choice	With VO	VPI62413	VPI62414	VPI62417	VPI62417	VPI62418		
		50/60 Hz	(2kV-4kV)	(3.4 kV-6.3 kV)	(9 kV-17 kV)	(9 kV-17 kV)	(13 kV-25 kV)		
	Second	Without VO		VPI62405	VPI62406	VPI62408			
	choice	With VO		VPI62415	VPI62416	VPI62418			
		50/60 Hz		(4 kV-8 kV)	(7 kV-13 kV)	(13 kV-25 kV)			
RM6	First	Without VO	VPI62403	VPI62404	VPI62406	VPI62407	VPI62408		
	choice	With VO	VPI62413	VPI62414	VPI62416	VPI62417	VPI62418		
		50/60 Hz	(2.5 kV-5 kV)	(4 kV-7 kV)	(8 kV-15 kV)	(10.1 kV-24 kV)	(17 kV-24 kV)		
	Second	Without VO			VPI62405		VPI62407		
	choice	With VO			VPI62415		VPI62417		
		50/60 Hz			(5 kV-11 kV)		(10.1 kV-24 kV)		
Ringmaster	First	Without VO	VPI62401	VPI62401	VPI62403	VPI62403			
	choice	With VO	VPI62411	VPI62411	VPI62413	VPI62413			
		50/60 Hz	(3.4 kV-7.5 kV)	(3.4 kV-7.5 kV)	(7.1 kV-16 kV)	(7.1 kV-16 kV)			
	Second	Without VO		VPI62402					
	choice	With VO	1	VPI62412		1			
		50/60 Hz	<u> </u>	(5.8 kV-10 kV)		<u> </u>			
Genie	First	Without VO		VPI62401	VPI62402				
	choice	50/60 Hz		(4.5 kV-11 kV)	(7 kV-15 kV)				
	Second	Without VO		,	VPI62401				
	choice	50/60 Hz	İ		(4.5 kV-11 kV)	l			
SM6-36	First	Without VO				VPI62404	VPI62404	VPI62406	VPI62406
	choice	With VO				VPI62414	VPI62414	VPI62416	VPI62416
		50/60 Hz				(13 kV-24 kV)	(13 kV-24 kV)	(26 kV-50 kV)	(26 kV-50 kV)
	Second	Without VO			VPI62403	VPI62403	,	VPI62405	,
	choice	With VO			VPI62413	VPI62413		VPI62415	
		50/60 Hz			(9 kV-17 kV)	(9 kV-17 kV)		(21 kV-35 kV)	
CAS 36	First	Without VO			VPI62406	VPI62407	VPI62408	VPI62409	VPI62409
	choice	With VO			VPI62416	VPI62417	VPI62418	VPI62419	VPI62419
		50/60 Hz			(8.5 kV-14 kV)	(12 kV-20 kV)	(17 kV-30 kV)	(21 kV-42 kV)	(21 kV-42 kV)
	Second	Without VO					VPI62407	VPI62408	
	choice	With VO					VPI62417	VPI62418	
		50/60 Hz					(12 kV-20.2 kV)	(17 kV-30 kV)	
MCSet 1, 2, 3	First	Without VO	VPI62403	VPI62404	VPI62407	VPI62407	VPI62408		
Nex 17	choice	50/60 Hz	(2 kV-4 kV)	(3 kV-6.3 kV)	(9 kV-17 kV)	(9 kV-17 kV)	(13 kV-25 kV)		
Nex 24	Second	Without VO		VPI62405	VPI62406	VPI62408			
Evotech	choice	50/60 Hz		(4 kV-8 kV)	(7 kV-13 kV)	(13 kV-25 kV)			
F400				F400-24 / F400-Xe (*)			F400-36 kV		
	First	Without VO		VPI62402	VPI62404	VPI62405	VPI62406	VPI62407	VPI62407
	choice	50/60 Hz		(4 kV-6.2 kV)	(9 kV-13 kV)	(13 kV-19 kV)	(16 kV-27 kV)	(26 kV-60 kV)	(26 kV-60 kV)
Premset	First	Without VO	VPI62403	VPI62404	VPI62406	VPI62406			
	choice	With VO	VPI62413	VPI62414	VPI62416	VPI62416			
		50/60 Hz	(2.5 kV-5.5 kV)	(4 kV-7 kV)	(8 kV-15 kV)	(8 kV-15 kV)			
PIX STD	First	Without VO	VPI62403	VPI62405	VPI62407	VPI62407	VPI62408		
PIX MCC	choice	With VO	VPI62413	VPI62415	VPI62417	VPI62417	VPI62418		
		50/60 Hz	(2.1 kV-4 kV)	(4.6 kV-8.4 kV)	(9.3kV-17.6kV)	(9.3kV-17.6kV)	(13.8kV-25.5kV)		
	Second	Without VO	,	,	VPI62406	,	, , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , ,		
	choice	With VO			VPI62416				
		50/60 Hz			(6.6kV-12.1kV)				
FBX C, RE,	First	Without VO	VPI62403	VPI62403	VPI62405	VPI62406	VPI62406		
R, T1	choice	With VO	VPI62413	VPI62413	VPI62415	VPI62416	VPI62416		
,		50Hz	(3 kV-7 kV)	(3 kV-7 kV)	(6 kV-13 kV)	(10 kV-24 kV)	(10 kV-24 kV)		
FBX T2, CB,	First	Without VO	VPI62406	VPI62406	VPI62408	VPI62409	VPI62409		
. DA 12, OD,	choice	With VO	VPI62416	VPI62416	VPI62418	VPI62419	VPI62419		
		50Hz	(3 kV-7 kV)	(3 kV-7 kV)	(6 kV-13 kV)	(12 kV-24 kV)	(12 kV-24 kV)		
		JUI IZ	(0 KA-1 KA)	(0 KV-1 KV)	(01/4-101/4)	(12 KV-27 KV)	(12 KV-27 KV)		

<sup>(\*)</sup> Theses references are no longer manufactured.

# **Dimensions**







# **Maintenance**





# Replacement of a complete VPIS V2

The whole VPIS V2 (indicator + protection) must be replaced, in the event of:

- VPIS cable damaged
- Substation flooded.

#### Dismounting the VPIS V2

- 1 Loosen four screws on protection enclosure (Pozidrive no.1 or flat 4.5 screwdriver).
- 2 Separate the two parts of the VPIS enclosure.
- 3 Pull the tab of the seal to the rear to remove it from the connector clip and pass it above the latter.
- **4** Remove the seal from its housing to obtain access to the connector.





Note: if the seal is of the "closed" type, it remains fixed on the wiring harness and will be re-used at remounting. The "open" type seal supplied with the VPIS V2 is not used in this case.

#### Recovery of the existing wiring harness

§ Press on the connector clip and at the same time pull on it to disconnect it from the VPIS.





Put aside the two VPIS V2 elements in fault condition and replace them with those of a new VPIS V2. Then mount the new VPIS V2.

#### Mounting the new VPIS V2

Installation of the seal + wiring harness assembly on the protection part:

6 Pass the tab behind the connector clip.



**7** Insert the wiring harness connector in the protection part of the VPIS V2.







Note: check that the seal is correctly positioned over the entire perimeter of the enclosure to ensure satisfactory tightness.

#### Assembly of the indicator on the surge protection part

(9) Insert the two parts of the VPIS V2 over one another (indicator part over the protection part). During the assembly phase, the wiring harness stays in position in the protection part.

Note: use the plastic guides to ensure that the two items are positioned correctly. The guides should be aligned at the time of connection. If the positioning is not correct, this causes a poor electrical connection.







Status of VPIS LEDs				Status of VPIS LEDs			
	L1	L2	L3	L1	L2	L3	
	ON	OFF	OFF	OFF	OFF	OFF	
	OFF	ON	OFF	OFF	OFF	OFF	
	OFF	OFF	ON	ON	ON	OFF	
	ON	ON	ON	ON	ON	OFF	



Phases

powered

L1

L2 L3



#### **Enclosure mounting**

**1** Place in position and tighten the 4 enclosure mounting screws (Pozidrive no.1 or flat 4.5 screwdriver). Tighten the screws until the thrust stops in each corner of the protection enclosure are in contact with the indicator part.

Warning: do not tighten screws beyond what is mentioned above, otherwise the seal will be crushed and so tightness of VPIS will be degraded.

**Note:** when the seal is placed in position, it ensures that the screws are held in place in the protection part and prevents them from coming out of the enclosure.

#### Installation of the cover joint on the VPIS V2

Install the joint concealing the phase comparator test points. Press on it firmly to place it correctly in position.











# Replacement of the VPIS V2 indicator

The indicator should be replaced if one or more indicator lamps are no longer lit when the MV network voltage seems to be present.

**NB:** never disconnect the wiring harness protection part when the MV network voltage is present.

#### Dismounting the indicator

① Loosen four screws on protection enclosure (Pozidrive no.1 or flat 4.5 screwdriver) Note: when the seal is placed in position, it ensures that the screws are held in place in the protection part and prevents them from coming out of the enclosure.

② Separate the two parts of the VPIS enclosure and put aside the defective indicator. Note: the protection part is kept and its wiring harness should remain in position during the dismounting phase.

#### Assembly of the new indicator on the surge protection part

③ Insert the new indicator on the existing protection part. During the assembly phase, the wiring harness stays in position in the protection part.

Note: use the plastic guides to ensure that the two items are positioned correctly. The guides should be aligned at the time of connection. If the positioning is not correct, this causes a poor electrical connection.

#### **Correct assembly**

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#### Incorrect assembly



#### **Enclosure mounting**

• Place in position and tighten the 4 enclosure mounting screws (Pozidrive no.1 or flat 4.5 screwdriver). Tighten the screws until the thrust stops in each corner of the protection enclosure are in contact with the indicator part.

Warning: do not tighten screws beyond what is mentioned above, otherwise the seal will be crushed and so tightness of VPIS will be degraded.

#### Installation of the cover joint on the VPIS V2

**⑤** Install the joint concealing the phase comparator test points. Press on it firmly to place it correctly in position.



# Replacement of a VPIS V1 with a VPIS V2

### Dismounting the VPIS V1 wiring harness

1 Press on the wiring harness connector clip and then pull on the connector to disconnect it from the VPIS V1.

Note: the wiring harness will be re-used for the phase of remounting on the VPIS V2.

#### Installation of the seal on the wiring harness

Note: this operation is necessary only in the case of replacement of a VPIS V1 with a VPIS V2. For the replacement of a VPIS V2, the seal is already assembled in factory on the wiring harness. This operation is therefore not necessary.

Note: the seal available with the VPIS V2 for the replacement is of the "open" type, so as to be able to be mounted on an existing wiring harness cable.

2 Insert the wiring harness wires in the opening parts of the seal (wireway). 3 Pass the tab behind the connector clip.





#### NB: the seal should be handled with care:

- Do not make the cable slide more than 10 cm in the seal
- Do not run stripped wires in the seal
- Do not run wires with crimped contacts in the seal.

#### Installation of the seal + wiring harness assembly on the protection part:

4 Insert the wiring harness connector in the protection part of the VPIS V2.

Insert the seal in its housing.





Note: check that the seal is correctly positioned over the entire perimeter of the enclosure to ensure satisfactory tightness.

#### Assembly of the indicator on the surge protection part

6 Insert the two parts of the VPIS V2 over one another (indicator part over the protection part). During the assembly phase, the wiring harness stays in position in the protection part.

Note: use the plastic guides to ensure that the two items are positioned correctly. The guides should be aligned at the time of connection. If the positioning is not correct, this causes a poor electrical connection.











#### Incorrect assembly



#### **Enclosure mounting**

Place in position and tighten the 4 enclosure mounting screws (Pozidrive no.1 or flat 4.5 screwdriver). Tighten the screws until the thrust stops in each corner of the protection enclosure are in contact with the indicator part.

Warning: do not tighten screws beyond what is mentioned above, otherwise the seal will be crushed and so tightness of VPIS will be degraded.

# Installation of the cover joint on the VPIS V2

3 Install the joint concealing the phase comparator test points. Press on it firmly to place it correctly in position.

Old VPIS V1

VPI62421

FMS58434

EMS58435

Via the VPIS, the phase concordance unit allows a check of the phase concordance between 2 energised functional input units on the same panel. It is a way of making sure that all three cables are each connected to the corresponding phase of the panel.

- Balanced phase: the phase concordance light remains unlit.
- Unbalanced phase: the phase concordance unit light is lit.

Phase concordance unit	Functional unit no. 1	Functional unit no. 2	Compatibility result	Corrective actions
	V1 999 «	V1 999	ок	
Phase concordance unit V1 Ref.: 51191954FA	V2	V2	×	Use a phase concordance unit V2
	V1 999 «	V2	×	Replace VPIS V1 by VPIS V2 and use a phase concordance unit V2
	V1 999 «	V2	×	OR use a phase concordance unit V2 with adapter
Phase concordance unit V2 without adapter Ref.: VPI62421	V1 999	V1 9 9 9 6	×	Replace both VPIS V1 units by VPIS V2 units OR test with the phase concordance unit V1
	V2	V2	ок	

Comparison between a VPIS V1 and VPIS V2 is also possible with using an adapter on VPIS V1 side and a VPI62421 phase

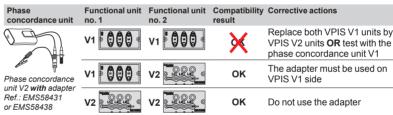
concordance unit

Adapter stand alone for VPIS V1:

- EMS58434 (2.5 7.7 kV)
- EMS58435 (8.8 23 kV).

Kit including a phase concordance unit + adapter:

- EMS58431 (15 20 kV ERDF)
- EMS58438 (8.8 23 kV).



New VPIS V2



## Safety warning

- The VPIS indication alone is insufficient to ensure that the system is power off: if operating rules require, then appropriate voltage detectors in compliance with the IEC 61243-1, IEC 61243-2 and IEC 61243-5 standards must be used for this purpose.
- In certain situations of high luminosity, it may be necessary to improve the visibility of the indicator lamps, for example by creating shade around them.
- Never disconnect the surge protection part when the MV network voltage

For more product information, consult the phase concordance unit user's manual (NT00214-FR-EN-xx).



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